CABINET

Minutes of the Special meeting of the Cabinet held in the Monsanto Suite, Royal International Pavilion, Llangollen on Tuesday 1st August 2000 at 2.00 p.m.

PRESENT

Councillors E.C. Edwards (Leader), I.M. German, D.M. Holder, R.W. Hughes, G.M. Kensler, D.M. Morris, E.A. Owens, A.E. Roberts, W.R. Webb and K.E. Wells.

ALSO PRESENT

Chief Executive, County Clerk, Administration Services Manager, Principal Personnel Officer (Bob Singfield) and Assistant Personnel Officer (Mrs Linda Jones).

AN APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE WAS SUBMITTED FROM

Councillor E.W. Williams.

361. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED that under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the Press and Public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

362. APPOINTMENT OF HEAD OF PUBLIC PROTECTION AND REGULATORY SERVICES

Following the decision to advertise the post of Head of Public Protection and Regulatory Services internally, four candidates had been invited for interview namely:-

Mr G H Boase (Principal Planning and Enforcement Officer);

Mr K Ewing (Regeneration Services Manager);

Mr B Lyden (Section Manager, Community Services), and

Mr G Sumner (Trading Standards Manager).

The candidates were interviewed in the above order, asked to make a 10 minute presentation and to provide answers to four questions (unseen prior to interview).

Following the interviews a representative from Capita addressed Members on the function and advantages of the use of assessment centres and briefed Members on the processes that had been employed in assessing the individual candidates for the post of Head of Public Protection and Regulatory Services. Members took the opportunity to raise questions with the representative from Capita regarding individual assessments. The Leader thanked the representative from Capita for her assessment of each candidate. Members discussed the merits of each individual candidate and it was:-

RESOLVED that Mr K Ewing be appointed Head of Public Protection and Regulatory Services.

The meeting concluded at 4.40 p.m.
